FEUDISTS IN JAIL

Twelve Men Voluntarily Surrender at Baxter, Fla.

MAKES TOTAL OF TWENTY

Vendetta Between Duncans and Alt. mans Considered at an End. Prisoners Carried to Jackschville,

Twelve of the men accused of being implicated in the killing of Deputy Sheriff Thrift at Baxter, Fla., Thursday night came into town Saturday morning and surrendered to Sheriff Herndon. The men had sent word during the night that they would surrender at 8 o'clock a. m., but all were on hand at 7:45 o'clock. Those surrendering, in addition to the eight arrested Friday, were Charles Altman and Hilliary Altman, who are charged with the murder of Jackson Duncan and the negro, Jim Riley, on the train; Jesse Altman, who shot W. N. Duncan, father of Jackson Duncan, in front of the Baxter postoffice; Andrew Harvey and Ivey Harvey, charged with being members of the mob with Jesse Altman; Aaron Dowling, William Dowling, Alonzo Dowling, William Dowling, Jr., W. H. Johns, George Johns and Cauley Johns.

All of the men were taken on board a special train and left at once for Jacksonville under guard of Wilson battery, of that city.

Jesse Altman had been hiding out alone and came in by himself. The others came in together, with a few

Hilliary Altman has a bad gunshot wound in the right shouder, which was dressed by a surgeon attached to the troops. He was evidently shot at the time the mob attacked Deputy Sheriff Thrift, who killed Riley Dowling. None of the others were wounded.

Both companies of troops left ca the special. W. N. Duncan and sen, Marshal Duncan, will remain at Baxter. Their wounds are not considered fatal, but they can not be moved. Sheriff Herndon and deputies have

the situation well in hand and no more trouble is anticipated.

Sheriff Mattox, of Charlton county, Ga., who arrived in Baxter Saturday morning, said that while he was perfeetly willing for the prisoners to be locked up in the Duval county jail, at Jacksonville, for safe keeping, he intended to try and secure the men charged with committing the crime in his county and have them tried in that county. When asked what steps ended to take. Sheriff Mattox stated that he intended to telegraph Governor Terrell and ask him to make a requisition on the governor of Florida for the delivery to the Charlton county authorities of Charles and Hilliary Altman, the men charged with the killing of Jackson Duncan and the negro, Jim Riley, on the train, which was then in Charlton county. Until the governors agree in regard to the proper custody of the prisoners. Sheriff Mattox is perfectly willing t callow the prisoners to remain in the Duval county jail.

The Florida authorities will probably claim Hilliary Altman, because when he gave himself up Saturday morning he had the military surgeon dress three gunshot wounds, which are considered as showing that he was in the mob that killed Deputy Sheriff Thrift.

INVESTIGATE WOOD'S ACTION.

Cubans Want to Know Why Mayor of Havana Was Deposed.

A special from Havana says: The house of representatives has resolved to request President Palma, for the reasons for the removal by Governor General Wood, of Miguel Gener, from the mayorality of Havana, and the appointment of Senor O'Farrill, the present incumbent.

JOE JEFFERSON RETIRES.

Veteran and Popular Actor Cancella all of His Engagements. A New York dispatch says: Praparations for the autumn tour of the veteran actor, Joseph Jefferson, have

been abandoned, all engagemens can-Recently he was atacked by indigestion, and because of his advanced age, some alarm was felt. He soon recovered, but after a consultation

with his physicians, he has decided to abandon plans for the season and to remain at his summer home, going later to Florida.

JAPS SHELLING MUKDEN.

London Paper Hears That a General

Advance is Under Way. It is asserted in a dispatch from Tokie to The London Express that ence of the republic of Mexico was the Japanese are vigorously shelling celebrated at the world's fair pavilion the Russian positions at Mukden, pre. with a concert by a Mexican artillery paratory to a general advance and band and reception. In the Mexican endeavoring, by a wide turning move- exhibit in the several exhibit palaces ment, t ocut off General Kuropatkin's badges bearing the Mexican national retreat. colors were distributed to visitors.

BATTLE AT MUKDEN REPORTED. PASSENGER TRAIN JUMPS TRACK

St. Petersburf Correspondent of Paris | Twelve People Injured and Half of

Paper Sends Some News. The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Echo De Paris says in a disdatch Wednesday:

"A great battle is going on before Mukden. The First and Seventeenth corps are engaged against General Kurokt Jeneral Kuropatkin, with the

Smith Whaley, Interested in Various Southern Cotton Plants, Driven to the Wall.

A special from Boston, Mass., states that owing over a million dollars and with assets of \$1,200, William B. Smith Whaley, the financial supporter of several cotton manufacturing enterprises in the south, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court in that city Wednesday. Mr. Whaley was the senior member of the William B. Smith

Whaley Company, For some time he has been interested in raising funds for textile industries in the southern states, particularly in South Carolina, which have not resulted favorably. Mr Whaley's total liabilities are \$1,114,-The secured claims amount to \$1,087,951, and the unsecured to

In his petition Mr. Whaley states

erty valued at \$1,100, real estate worth \$100 and household goods. There are ninety-one creditors. The individual claims range from \$500, the lowest to \$175,000, the highest. Among the principal secured creditors are Merchants national bank, New York, \$175. 094; The Draper Company, Hopedale Mass., \$107,000; Fales & Jenk, Machine manufacturers, Pawtucket, R. I. \$107,000; Baltimore True, and Depost Company, Baltimore, \$45,000; J. C. Sheehan, Baltimore, \$25,000; Carolina national bank, Columbia, S. C. \$630,000; Carey, Bayne & Smith Company, Baltimore, \$20,000; Bank of Columbia, Columbia, S. C., \$17,000; Merchants national bank, Camden, S. C., \$15,000; Peoples national bank, Charleston, S. C., \$10,024; Merchants national bank, Baltimore, \$10,000; Orangeburg Manufacturing Company, Or-

rangeburg, S. C., \$10,000. The largest unsecured claim, \$10, Olympic cotton mills, Columbia, S. C. sel, states in regard to the pe-

"While nominally it appears to be large failure it is not nearly so bad as it looks. The obligations are distributed from New York to South Carolina. Mr. Whaley was interested in financiering these southern mills, and in a measure, they have fallen down."

CANDIDATE TIBBLES ACCEPTS.

Vice Presidential Nominee of People's Party Issues His Letter.

At Lincoln, Neb., Tuesday, Thomas H. Tibbles, nominee of the people's party for vice president, mailed his letter of acceptance to the Hon. S. S. Williams, chairman of the notification committee. The letter was in part

"We look forward with confidence to the coming of the time not far in the distance when the principles of the people's party shall guide the rulers of the nation. The adherents of the people's party come from all classes, wherever a man is found, where lives mankind and where governments are instituted among men, not for the purpose of enabling a few to gather gold and pile it up mountain high, but for the purpose of advancing the human race, bringing gladness to the hearts of all the people, enabling them throughout the development of the mind to enjoy the delights of the intellectual world and lay up treasures that all the cycles of time cannot corrode. To this work more than a million men have consecrated them selves. They are found among the wealthy and in the ranks of the proletariat, among the professional classes and among the wage earners. wherever a heart yearns to see our mountains and valleys, our cities and plains inhabited by a people whose heads are clear, whose hearts are loving and whose hands are adept at all things useful. They seek not the advantage of one class, but of all class. es. They believe that the principles enunciated in our platform will furnish a foundation for the building up of such a nation and such a people."

REWARDS FOR ALLEGED SLAYER.

Man Last Seen With Miss Roberts Wanted in Anniston, Ala.

Rewards aggregating \$550 have been offered for the arrest of the murderer of Miss Bessie Roberts, who was found bruised and unconscious under a vacant house at Anniston, Ala., and who clared the city under martial law to a crap game, six men were killed, died the next day without regaining consciousness. Of this sum the state offers \$250 reward. The police are after a strange white man who was seen with Miss Roberts the last time she was seen alive and who has since disappeared.

MEXICANS HAVE CELEBRATION.

Ninety-Fourth Independence Anniver. sary Observed at World's Fair. At St. Louis, Friday, the ninetyfourth anniversary of the independ-

Them May Not Live.

A through passenger train on the Lake shore and Michigan Southern railroad was wrecked Saturday afternoon in the outskirts of Chicago.

The people claim the train ran into an open switch while others say the locomotive jumped the track because bulk of his troops, is moving towards of a broken flange. Twelve persons general commanding the Atlantic di-

MILL OWNER BANKRUPT. HURTS DEMOCRATS

Many Lynchings Deplored by Campaign Managers.

MAY AFFECT ELECTION

Eyes of Republican Managers are Upon Georgia and Recent Episodes Will Be Kept to the Front.

A New York special says: There is an air of gloom hanging over the inner circles at democratic headquarters and the cause of it is news from Georgla which is given great prominence in the republican newspapers. Right on the heels of the report that the governor of Georgia had taken posithat his only assets are personal prop- live stops toward the investigation and punishment of the militia which falled to do its duty at Statesboro comes the report of another Georgia tynching, and, if reports be true, for ties referred to by General Kuropat an ordinary killing which the state kin were inflicted or received. courts had full power to handle. Whatever defense there may be for lynching for other crimes, it seems from the reports published here there could be none for this latest case.

The democratic managers feel very much as if they might just as woll Everything goes to show that the fold up their tents and close head- main Russian position is now at Tie quarters, so far as this campaign is Pass, flanked by hills out on the left concerned, if there is to be a con- and by the river on the right. tinuation of these lynching stories from the southern states. It is 'n- are to the effect that the Japanese did people do not realize the immense damage such affairs do to the democratic cause. Here are the democratic 000, is for money advanced by the managers sacking to impress the country that the democratic party is a F. L. Norton, Mr. Whaley's coun- great law and order, a great constitutional party and pointing to the southern states to illustrate their contention that the masses of democracy in that section of the country, which is their stronghold, are conservativo; and yet almost every day they have to face some such illustration at the south as that furnished by Statesbovo and Cedartown and Royston, and oth-

er points in the south. The republican newspapers, realizing the effect of these southern lynch ings upon sentiment at the north where respect for the law is ingrained, are not only seeing that the news reports are magnified in all their newspapers, but are preparing to scatter broadcast campaign documents containing lynching statistics. It is unpasted on billboards and other con- the Statesboro affair. venient places in every corner of ev-

Parker Honors Veteran Flagman. The flag at Rosemount will be halfmasted as a tribute to George Bedford, who has been flagman for the West Shore road at Esopus for eight years. Bedford died suddenly Monday, He was an admirer of Judge Parker, who never went to the station without paying him a visit.

Honor Declined by Olney. At a meeting of the Massachusetts democratic state committee in Boston it was announced that Richard Olney, whose nomination for governor has been urged, has absolutely declined to become the numinee.

RESORT TO MARTIAL LAW.

Little Georgia Town Takes Precaution to Prevent Race Conflict.

There has been so much excitement in Broxton, Ga., among the negroes since the white primary last week for the nomination of county officers that the council met Monday and de- to Thistlewood that in a quarrel over prevent the congregating of people three whites and three negroes. on the streets.

On Friday night the negroes held an indignation meeting over their being denied the right to vote, and since that time they have been indulging in incendiary talk. Hence the action of council.

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OFFICERS FORBIDDEN TO WED.

That is, Unless They are Amply Able

to Take Care of a Wife. That no army officer be permitted to marry until he has first secured the permission of the secretary of war and satisfied that official that his income will support himself and family and that he is entirely free from debt is the recommendation by Major General Henry C. Corbin, adjutant

Russians are Conducting Reconnoisances and Have Frequent Conflicts With Jap Outposts.

A dispatch has been received in St. Petersburg from General Kuropatkin announcing that Generals Rennenkampf and Bamsonoff are conducting important reconnaisances which have resulted in heavy fighting with many casualties.

From General Kuropatkin's tele gram, which was dispatched at 6 o'clock Monday evening, it appears that General Rennenkampf has re covered from his wound and resumed ommand of his troops. The recon naisance disclosed a further increase in the Japanese forces at Yentai and Rentziaputze. The Russians have occupied several villages near the Japanese lines.

A dispatch to a London news agency from St. Petersburg says the reconnaisances were toward the Japan ese front and right flank, resulting in the Japanese being driven back. The Russian losses, according to this version, are said to be slight and it is not clear whether the many casual-

Kuropatkin to Avoid Battle. While still insisting that General Kuropatkin has sufficient troops at Mukden to contest the Japanese adadmits that it is not likely that a decisive battle will be fought there

Official reports to the war office ceivable to them that the southern not make any further move towards Mukden until Sept. 17th, when rec onnaisances in force disclosed that they were still massing at Yentai and Rentsiaputze. No Japanese have been discovered east of the latter point

More Troops for Kurapatkin. Acting on the advice of his military advisors, Emperor Nicholas has decided to form a second Manchurian army It will be formed of the corps which are being sent to the far east, and Lieutenant General Linevitch probably will be given the command of the second army. General Kuropatkin will become chief of both armies, but probably without the title of commander

CIVIL ACTION PROBABLE.

Governor Terrell Willing to Assist in Prosecution of Statesboro Mob.

An Atlanta dispatch says: Governor Terrell was seen by a representative of the Associated Press and gave out derstood they are having the same a statement to the effect that the civil authorities may yet take a hand in

"If the Bullock county grand jury ery doubtful state. West Virginia re- will return indictments against a mempublicans are particularly jubilant over ber or members of the mob which developments, claiming that this rec- burned Reed and Cato at the stake, I ord of lynchings alone will carry that will request Attorney General Hart state for Roosevelt and Feirbanks. to attend the session of the court They have been fearful lest the great and aid in the prosecution of the men popularity of Senator Davis with the who trampled on the laws of Georgia," working classes, black as well as said Governor Terrell. "It is not with white, would lose them the state; but in the province of the attorney gennow they talk confidently of holding in eral to take the initiative, but if line every negro vote, as well as the Bullock county will do its part the vote of every white republican, and if people may rest assured that every they do they will have a good major- thing will be done to bring the of-

fenders to justice." The state constitution prevents the governor from acting directly against the sheriff or any one who might have been connected with the crime. The county officers can only be removed by the grand jury for malfeasance in or-

CZAR SNUBS KING PETER.

Will Not Have Representative at Servian Coronation.

A dispatch from Belgrade, Servia says: "All the powers have instructed their ministers here to attend the coronation of King Peter except Russia, whose action has caused a sen sation. King Peter will be crowned on Wednesday next."

SIX KILLED OVER CRAP GAME

Negroes and Whites Have Gambling

Row With Disastrous Results. A negro employed by N. B. Thistle wood, of Cairo, Ill., at O'Brien's Landing, four miles below the city, reported white man who had lost his money in the game went away and, summoning a party of friends, returned to where the negroes were playing and demanded the money. A fight with rifles followed with the result stated.

ALLEGED WEEVIL DISCOVERED.

Black Bug Ravages Cotton Fields In Alabama County.

A mysterious black weevil which burrows into the blooms and young bolls of cotton has appeared near Dr. H. T. Bass, at Tarboro, N. C., ed a fractured skull. She died shortly Leeds, in Jefferson county, Ala., and farmers are alarmed, believing that the pest is the Mexican boll weevil. The insect has already done much damage to cotton.

GIRLS SLEW FATHER.

Stuart Made Threats to Exterminate Family and Was Decapitated. Two daughters of S. C. Stuart, grominent farmer of Falls county, Texas, who was found dead in bed with his head almost severed from the body, have confessed to the crime. field, Ill., Sunday. An option on prop-They are 13 and 16 years old respect- erty in Jerusalem had been obtained

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SUMMARY OF WAR NEWS ASSAILING REDOUBT

Japs Resume Assault on Port Authur With More Vigor.

ACTIVE AROUND MUKDEN

Both Sections of Mikado's Army Begin Work at the Same Time and "Something Doing" is Expected.

Port Arthur is again the center of interest as regards the war in the Far East. A general attack by land and sea is regarded as likely to follow the Japanese assault upon the redoubt protecting the water supply of the fortress and town, and participation of the fleet under Admiral Togo is looked for. In this latter event it is expected that the remnants of the Rusian squadron in the port will sally forth to engage the Japanese ships. Eight and possibly nine Japanese divisions are reported to be advancing on Mukden and another battle between the armies under General Kuroki and Kuropatkin is imminent. St. Petersburg has heard that the Russian Baltic squadvance, the war office in St. Petersburg | ron has been reinforced by four war ships purchased from Argentina.

A special from Shanghai says: The general attack on Port Arthur, which began Tuesday and in which the Japanese fleet is co-operating, was resumed Wednesday morning. The Japanese captured two important forts on either side of Sulesey. ing, north of Port Arthur,

Authoritative information has been received in Che Foo of a general attack upon Port Arthur by the Japs. This is the attack for which the mikado's forces have been preparing for the last nineteen days with slight

hope of success. As forecasted in these dispatches, the Japanese attack on Port Arthur is directed mainly against the northeast front. The main object is to capture the fortifications on Kikwan mountain, Ripling mountain and the intermediate The foregoing comes from a Rus-

sian of standing whose previous information has been correct. He adds that the attack at the end of August, which was reported as two separate assaults, really constituted a ten days' battle. Although the Japanese retreated August 31 along the lower part of the line, they remained in four supplementary forts on the northwestern front, waich they had captured from the Russians. This includes four forts, 50 yards from Ripling mountain, and two others a a somewhat greater distance. Since reichstag. August 31st the Japanese have bombarded very slightly, while the Russians have been throwing approximately one thousand shells daily, chiefly against the four Japanese positions mentioned. Small sorties, as referred to in Novi Krai of Port Arthur in the efforts to recapture the forts have been of almost nightly occurrence and have been uniformly unsuccessful.

The Japanese have been taught wholesome respect for the resisting power of the fortress, according to every Japanese who has recently arrived at CheFoo from Port Dainy.

TREATY RILES RUSSIANS.

England Accused of Duplicity in Dealing With Tibetans.

With the arrival in St. Petersburg of the full text of the British treaty with Tibet, the irritation of the Russian press at its sweeping character is more pronounced.

The Russ, which is now considered especially to reflect the views of the foreign office, bitterly complains that Great Bitain has gone beyond her promises concerning the expedition, by acquiring a virtual protectorate over Tibet, whereas she had pledged herself merely to regulate trade relarelations between India and Tibet.

CONDEMN IROQUIOS THEATRE.

Strong Protest is Made Against Renpening of the Play House.

An appeal to the clergy of Chicago to arouse a feeling of condemnation for the re-opening of the Iroquois theatre has been issued by the Iroquois Memorial Association.

The organization had a special meeting at which an open letter of protest was prepared. This recounts the fire horror in the theatre last December and urges the ministers to oppose the further use of the building as place of amusement.

JURY ACQUITS DR. BAKER.

Tried at Tarboro on Charge of Mun dering Dr. Bass. a verdiet of acquittal. 1903, and was the outcome of bad feel-

ing for some time previous. MISSION IN JERUSALEM.

Planned by Methodists in Conference at Springfield, Illinois.

The initiative toward building a ively and say their father threatened and the enterprise was recommended to exterminate the entire family of to the favorable consideration of the

LYNCHERS MURDERERS.

Se Declare Huntsville Ministers in Special Sermons Preached on Subject of "Outraged Law."

No incident or rumor disturbed the tranquility of the military standing guard around the jail at Huntsville, Ala., Sunday. No further arrests have been made in connection with the Maples lynching.

It is positively known that several of the indicted parties have left the country. One of them has been heard from in Salt Lake City, and two were last heard from in Texas, making their way to Mexico. Three others have left no trace behind.

United States secret service men have been engaged to collect evidence against the mob that attacked

The members of the Ministers' Union, practically every Protestant pastor in the city, preached a special sermon on outraged law and unusually large congregations heard them. Rev. George E. Boyd, presiding el-

der of the Methodist district conference, took the text, "The powers that be are ordained of God," and said tnat those who participated in that disgraceful mob and lynched that brutal negro are individually guilty of murder before Almighty God.

"Mob violence; what are we going to do about it?" was the subject of a sermon by Rev. B. G. Mitchell, of the First Cumberland Church, who condemned lynching as a punishment for any crime.

Rev. Frank P. Culver, a member of the grand jury that is investigating the lynching, took as his text: "The land is full of bloody crimes, and the city full of violence." He held that the carnival of gambling that has existed in Huntsville is responsible for outraged law, as well as the failure of officers to enforce the vagrancy laws. ? Culver charged that every member or the mob is a murderer, and should be convicted of that crime. He said the mob should have been repulsed in its attack on the fail, even if it had resulted in the loss of life.

Rev. Francis Tappri, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, said public sentiment needs arousing in opposition to mob violence, if the officers of the law continue to be powerless on an occasion like this:

DEATH TAKES YOUNG BISMARCK.

Son of the Iron Chancellor Dies With-

out Realizing Life's Ambition. At Friedshrichruhe Sunday morn ing Prince Herbert Bismarck died. The end was painless. Since he ceased to be foreign minister, on the retirement of his father in 1890. Prince Herbert Bismarck had taken part in public affairs only as a member of the

Prince Bismarck's father trained him for his successor as chancellor of the German empire, but this ambition was never realized.

CHIEF JOYNER RE-ELECTED.

Atlar & Fire Chief Again Heads Inter-

national Association. W. R. Joyner, chief of the Atlanta, Ga., fire department, was unanimously reelected president of the Internation. al Association of Fire Engineers at the convention in Chattanooga.

Chief Joyner was first elected to this position at a meeting of the association held a year ago in Atlantic City. His work as president of the association won him numerius friends among the members and he was unopposed in his race for reelection.

JUDGE IS KEPT BUSY.

Democratic Nominee Will Make Fre-

quent Visits to Headquarters. It is said at democratic national headquarters in New York that Judge Perker will make another visit to the city within a week or before the publication of his letter of acceptance, and that the personal conferences between the nominee and his managers will be repeated as often as neces-

PORT ARTHUR WEAKENING.

Heroic Garrison Reported to Be Suf fering Severe Privations. A St. Petersburg dispatch says:

The Japanese are now expected to redouble their efforts before Port Arthur, whence the news is received is not encouraging. In spite of the success which hitherto has attended the defense, the

the garrison is undergoing severe privations and its resisting power is weakening under the strain.

Russian lines are being drawn closer,

MOTHER KILLED; BABY SAVED. In Street Car Collision at St. Joseph

Woman Makes Fatal Leap. In a street car collision in St. Joseph, Mo., Mrs. J. E. Plerpont, of Skid-The jury in the case of Dr. Julian more, Mo., in attempting to leap, fell M. Baker, charged with the murder of heavily to the pavement and sustainafter being out many hours, returned afterward at a hospital. She had a child in her arms, but the babe was The homicide occurred March 16, snatched away by one of the passengers just in time to prevent its shar-

ing its mother's fate. REWARD FOR LYNCHERS.

Georgia Governor Offers \$250 for Each Member of Franklin County Mob.

Governor Terrell, of Georgia, took firm stand on the lynching question Methodist mission at Jerusalem was by offering a reward of \$250 each Sunday afternoon.

a citizer of Danielsville.

***** Cream of News. ********* Brief Summary of Mos Important Events

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-A lynching occurred in Frankli county, Ga., Sunday, Negro shot white man, and on being captured was to ken from officers by mob, swung to limb and riddled with bullets.

-The civil service commission the Philippines is prepared to pay the East Indian Order of Friars \$2 020,000 gold for the lands in the is lands, held by the order. The native constabulatry has been reduced t 1,200 men.

-A tug boat supposed to be the Israel W. Durham, of Philadelphia. sunk in the Delaware river, off the mouth of the Christiana creek. Five of the crew, including the captain, were drowned, together with three men employed with the American Dredging Company.

-The warehouse of the Fayette Manufacturing Company at Chester, Pa., has been burned, together with 60,000 bags of magnesite. Loss \$300,-000; partially insured.

-The Pullman car works, at Pullman, Ill., are shut down and practically every one of the company's 7.000 employees idle. -Fire has destroyed the Sawyer & Austin plant at Pine Bluff, Ark., one

of the largest lumber mills in the

state. The loss is estimated at 1.

tween \$400,000 and \$500,000, fully covered by insurance. -Seymour Clark, a farmer and his son, were found cremated in their residence five miles north of Youngstown, Ohio. Mrs. Clark and other

members of the family escaped. -Five children were burned to death and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jessup, fatally injured at Rolla, Ky. All were asleep. It is believed the parents were injured while trying

to rescue the children. -A verdict of murder in the second degree was rendered in the White case at Salisbury, N. C. Thomas and Chalmers White, the defendants, who killed Russell Sherrill, the alleged betrayer or their niece, appealed to the supreme court.

-Silas Worley, a wagoner, and Josh H. Mitchell, a peddler, are in jail at Huntsville, Ala., for alleged connection with the Maples lynching. Wor ley is charged with arson, and Mitchell with murder.

-At a secret meeting of delegates representing unions both in and out of the building trades alliance, at New York, it has been determined to extend the strike now on.

-An appeal to the clergy of Chicago to arouse a feeling of condemnation for the re-opening of the Iroquois theatre has been issued by the Iroquois Memorial Association.

-Statements that the Japanese army is concentrating upon the flanks of the Russian forces in the vicinity of Mukden are met at the Russian war office with expressions of incred-

Beach, Wash., one of the finest summer hotels on the north Pacific coast, has been destroyed by fire. Loss, \$57,-000. There were no guests at the ho--Chicago is to have a new packing

house plant, capitalized at \$2,500,000

and with a daily capacity of 1,100 cat-

-The Breakers hotel, at Long

tle, 5,000 hogs and 5,000 sheep. The company has been incorporated under the laws of New York. -Commander R. E. Peary, the Arctic Explorer, announces that a contract has been signed for a new Arc-

tic ship, which he is to use in another

attempt upon the North Pole. -An unusual influx of Irish immigrants in the last two months is reported by the immigration authorities at New York. The records show that in the last seven days nearly 1,500 Irish immigrants have arrived at Ellis Island. Of these nearly 70 per cent were girls and only a small percentage of the total were over 23

years old. -Twelve of the Florida feudists voluntarily surrendered to the sheriff at Baxter Saturday morning. This makes twenty men in all under arrest. They were taken at once to Jacksonville and incarcerated in Duval county jail.

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BROOKLYN MERCHANTS ACT.

Form Protective League for Preservation of Law and Order.

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